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Mr. William Taylor  
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**RE: APPROVAL - TRANSMITTAL OF THE RESPONSES TO OEPA COMMENTS ON THE PROPOSED CHANGES RESULTING FROM THE 2003 ANNUAL REVIEW OF THE IEMP AND AN UPDATED EVALUATION TO ESTIMATE THE POUNDS OF URANIUM DISCHARGED FROM FCP UNCONTROLLED SURFACE WATER RUNOFF**

Dear Mr. Taylor,

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's Transmittal of the *Responses to the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Comments on the Proposed Changes Resulting from the 2003 Annual Review of the Integrated Environmental Monitoring Plan, (2505-WP-0022) Revision 3 Final and An Updated Evaluation to Estimate the Pounds of Uranium Discharged from FCP Uncontrolled Surface Water Runoff* received on March 16, 2004. Ohio EPA approves of the document.

If there are any questions, please contact me at (937) 285-6466 or Donna Bohannon at (937) 285-6543.

Sincerely,

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